

## New Jersey Office of the Attorney General

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The Legalized Games of Chance Control Commission met on January 8, 2014, at the Division of Consumer of Affairs, located at 124 Halsey Street, 3rd Union Room, Newark New Jersey. Present were Commissioners Edward F. Barrett, Steven Layman and Christine Vanek. Also in attendance: Deputy Attorney General Virginia Class-Matthews, Assistant Counsel Peter Simon, Authorities Unit, Investigator Supervisor Martin Silva, Investigator Joseph Chessere, Bruce Hurlburt, William Walters and support staff Farah Rodriguez.

The meeting was opened at 10:33 a.m. by Commissioner Barrett pursuant to provisions of the Open Public Meetings Act. N.J.S.A. 10:4-6 et seq. Adequate notice of the Legalized Games public meeting was provided by mailing a list of all regularly scheduled Commission meetings to be held during 2014 to the Office of the Secretary of State, Star Ledger, Trenton Times, and the Director of the Division of Consumer Affairs, and by posting in the State Building at 124 Halsey Street, Newark, New Jersey, as well as being posted on LGCCC website: www.state.nj.gov/oag/ca/lgccc.htm.

Commissioner Marilou Halvoren, was called on matters due to lack of Quorum. FOCUS Hispanic Center For Community Development.

1. Reading and approval of the January 8, 2014 agenda.

The Commission moved to approve the agenda with amendments.

MOTION: Vanek SECOND: Layman APPROVED: Unanimous

2. Minutes of the Public Session Meeting
November 13, 2013
The Commission moved to accept the minutes.

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MOTION: Layman SECOND: Vanek APPROVED: Unanimous

3. Public Comments
No Public

MOTION: Layman SECOND: Vanek APPROVED: Unanimous

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Statistics report and comparison figures from LGCCC to DCA for the months of October and November 2013
 The Commission moved to accept the statistics report.

MOTION: Vanek SECOND: Layman APPROVED: Unanimous

5. List of organizations approved or denied requests for registration for the months of November and December 2013

The Commission moved to accept the approved and denied list for November and December 2013.

Commissioner Vanek rescued herself from approving FOCUS Hispanic Center For Community Development.

MOTION: Vanek SECOND: Layman APPROVED: Unanimous

FOCUS Hispanic Center For Community Development was approved. Commission moved to approved the above organization for registration.

MOTION: Barrett SECOND: Halvorsen APPROVED: Unanimous

Recommendations of the approved and denied list of Casino Operators, Casino Operators Pending, Additional Correspondence, Manufacturers, Distributors, Providers, Compensated Workers and Game Submissions for the month of **November and December 2013.** 

The Commission moved to accept the approved and denied list of Casino operators.

MOTION: Vanek SECOND: Layman APPROVED: Unanimous

- 7. Commissioner Peter A. Curatolo, resignation. FYI
- **8.** Adam Kisty, OTS- Seeking for the Commission to implement handicap accessible boardwalk style games.

This item was table until the next meeting for more information regarding the ADA requirement.

The Commission moved to forward the letter to New Jersey Amusement Association and the Division on Civil Right. This matter does not fall within our Jurisdiction.

MOTION: Layman SECOND: Vanek APPROVED: Unanimous

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**9.** Residents Club Crestwood Village 5- Seeking to use net proceed for capital improvement.

The Commission requested additional information and also advised that a letter to be sent that all proceeds for the Games of Chance be used within a year.

MOTION: Vanek SECOND: Layman APPROVED: Unanimous

10. Old Business

FYI

11. New Business

The Commission also requested a monthly list of all outreach services.

12. E.O.'s Report

A. Haddon Fortnightly- Thanking Christine Donahue for a outstanding job. The Commission also thanked Christine Donahue for an outstanding

- 13. Reconsideration of UPL's.
- A. LGA 13-110 Darin Janis/TJ Concessions- requesting reconsideration UPL.

  The Commission reviewed response and was not persuaded by the mitigation/information presented. The Commission moved to sustain the penalty in the Uniform Penalty Letter.

MOTION: Vanek SECOND: Layman APPROVED: Unanimous

B. LGA 13-147 Theresa Petaccio-requesting reconsideration UPL.

The Commission reviewed response and was not persuaded by the mitigation/information presented. The Commission moved to sustain the penalty in the Uniform Penalty Letter.

MOTION: Vanek SECOND: Layman APPROVED: Unanimous

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## 14. Requesting Hearing

**A.** LGA-13-98 Anthony Storino- requesting a hearing. The Commission moved to allow DAG Virginia Class-Matthews to negotiate a settlement agreement with the licensee's counsel for a \$250.00 penalty.

MOTION: Barrett SECOND: Layman APPROVED: Unanimous

NOTE:

## LGA- 13-98

This Item should have been listed as Jenkinsons South Inc., (licensee) not Anthony Storino, owner of entity. Therefore, Commissioner Vanek ruled on this matter unaware that Mr. Storino owned Jenkinsons South Inc. On or about February 21, 2014 Commissioner Vanek was notified of the conflict. Therefore this item will be placed again for review again on the March 2014 Public and Executive agenda.

## Later Starter

Absecon Business and Commercial Development Corp., Inc- Seeking approval for registration. The Commission moved to deny the request for registration.

MOTION: Vanek SECOND: Layman APPROVED: Unanimous

The Commission moved to Executive Session for discussion of investigative matters, deliberations, and advice of counsel. Following the conclusion of the Executive Session, the Commission will take action on any matters in public session. The executive session commenced at 11:10 a.m.

Approved by:
Edward F. Barrett Chairperson

enc. (3)

- 1. Statistics report and comparison figures from LGCCC to DCA for October and November 2013 (Refer to item 5)
- 2. List of organizations approved or denied requests for registration for November and December 2013(Refer to item6)
- 3. List of approved and denied Compensated Workers, Commercial Licenses November and December 2013 (Refer to item 7)